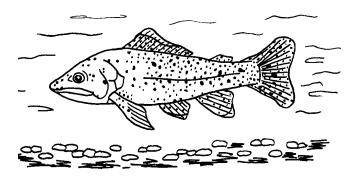
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Arizona State Fish: Apache trout

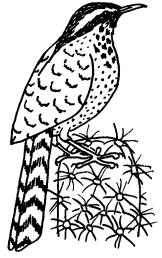


The **Apache trout** is yellow with dark spots and lives in cold mountain streams, where it feeds on insects and small fish.



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Arizona State Bird: Cactus wren



The **cactus wren** is brown, with a white stripe above its eye, and a dark throat. It builds its nests in cacti and thorny trees.

Arizona State Mammal: Ringtail



around its tail.

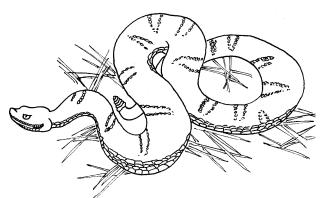
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Arizona is a wonderful place to live, with many different kinds of plants and animals.

A few special plants and animals have been named as **Arizona State Symbols**.

These plants and animals were chosen by students from all over Arizona and were approved by the Legislature.

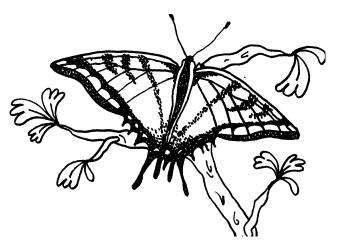
Other states have state symbols, too. After reading about Arizona's state symbols, do some research to learn about the state symbols of some other states. Arizona State Reptile: Arizona ridgenosed rattlesnake



The **ridgenosed rattlesnake** is reddish brown and has white stripes on its face. It gets its name from its turned up nose.

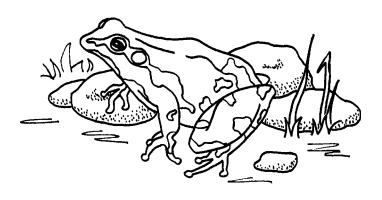
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Arizona State Butterfly: Two-tailed swallowtail



The **two-tailed swallowtail** butterfly is bright yellow, with blue spots at the bottom of each wing. It has two "tails" on each lower wing.

Arizona State Amphibian: Arizona treefrog



The **Arizona treefrog** is mostly green with a dark stripe on each side of the body. Pads on its toes make this frog a good climber.

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